

PATENT Case No. 33-944

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Leonhardt, et al.	) Prior Examiner: Addie, Raymond W.
Serial No: 10/628,319	) ) )
	) Group Art No: 3611
Filed: July 28, 2003	)
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For: VEHICLE MOUNTED CRASH	)
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## DRAWING AMENDMENT

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Applicants respectfully request approval by the Examiner of the following drawing amendment. In particular, Applicants have added new drawing Figure 15. Figure 15 is a

side view of a vehicle mounted attenuator having a bay rotated by more than 180° from the deployed position to the retracted position, as described in the specification at page 6, line 32 to page 7, line 2. Accordingly, this drawing amendment has not added any new matter.

Rather, this amendment is being made in response to the Examiner's previous objection to claim 4 in parent application 10/002,833 as not being supported by the specification, since the claim language covers rotation angles greater than 180°. Applicants have presented similar claims in the present case. Accordingly, Applicants have added new Figure 15 to further illustrate this embodiment. Since the embodiment is fully supported by the specification as filed, no new matter has been added. Accordingly, the Examiner's objections should be withdrawn for this additional reason.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's approval of this drawing amendment. Any questions about this amendment should be directed to the undersigned attorney.

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